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# **PROFESSIONAL STATUS**

Arbitrator/Mediator/Factfinder practicing nationwide with home base in Northern California.

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Arbitrator on the arbitration panels maintained by the American Arbitration Association, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, National Mediation Board, Sacramento County Judicial Arbitration Committee, California State Mediation and Conciliation Service and Los Angeles City Employment Relations Board. Member, National Academy of Arbitrators. Licensed to practice law in California, the District of Columbia and Illinois.

As a full-time arbitrator since 1981, I have heard approximately 2,000 cases involving many different issues and parties. Arbitration experience in the private and public sectors: specifically, in federal, state and local governments, education, chemical, communication, food, restaurant, retail establishments, health care, light and heavy manufacturing, lumber, paper, steel, household products, trucking, airlines, railroads, agriculture and construction. Permanent arbitrator between Burlington Northern Company and Transportation-Communications Union (1984-present); on the panel of arbitrators for McClellan Air Force Base and AFGE (1987-present); for IAM and Northwest Airlines (1987-1988; 1990-1991); for IAM and Alaska Airlines (1988-1991); AFGE and GSA (1989-1991); and CSEA and Grant JUHSD. Hearing Officer for Sacramento County Civil Service Commission. Permanent mediator and arbitrator of all disputes arising under the National Agreement between Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and National Carriers Conference Committee (1986-present); serving a four year term as a permanent arbitrator on the TCU-NRLC Joint National Salary Board; appointed by the President to serve on Emergency Factfinding Board to recommend settlement of threatened national railway strike (1986) and the parties adopted the Board's recommendations thus averting a strike. Extensive experience in interest arbitration, mediation and factfinding in both private and public sectors.

Adjunct Professor - California State University at Sacramento, California (1983-1987, 1989 to Present). Coordinator - California State University, Sacramento, Labor-Management Relations Extended Learning Program (1989 to Present).

Instructor - University of California, Davis, Extension Program (1987 to present). Attorney - LaRocco & Baker (successor firm), Chicago, Illinois (1978-1980).

### **EDUCATION**

Master of Laws, Georgetown University Law Center at Washington, D.C. (1981). Juris Doctor, University of San Diego School of Law at San Diego, California (1977). Master of Science in Industrial Relations, Loyola University at Chicago, Illinois (1980). Bachelor of Science in Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Illinois (1973).

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

National Academy of Arbitrators

American Arbitration Association

Bar of the Supreme Court of the United States of America

American Bar Association

ABA Section on Labor and Employment Law

State Bar of California

Section of Labor and Employment Law of California State Bar

District of Columbia Bar Association

Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals Bar

Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals Bar

United States District Court Bars for the Eastern, Northern and Southern Districts

of California and the Northern District of Illinois

Sacramento County Bar Association

Industrial Relations Research Association

Industrial Relations Association of Northern California

Society for Professionals in Dispute Resolution

Italian American Attorneys Association of Superior California (President 1983-84)

## PERSONAL DATA



Birthdate: March 8, 1951; Birthplace: Chicago, Illinois

# **AUTHOR**

Upon request, I will furnish a list of published and unpublished papers. Some arbitration opinions published and/or a matter of public record. See for example: 87 LA 1279 (BNA 1986); 90 LA 1273 (BNA; 1988) and 92 LA 168 (BNA; 1989).

### **LECTURER**

Lectured at labor relations seminars before labor and management groups.

Adjunct Professor, California State University at Sacramento, California (1983 to 1987, 1989).

Instructor, University of California - Davis Extension Program (1987 to present).

**REFERENCES:** References will be furnished upon request.